Department of Health and Human Resources, Bureau for Behavioral Health and Health Facilities WV Adult Behavioral Health Placement Network (WVABHPN) Launch

The West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources (DHHR) Bureau for Behavioral Health and Health Facilities is pleased to announce that the WV Adult Behavioral Health Placement Network (WVABHPN) website is now available. The Adult Behavioral Health Placement Network is a centralized resource for identifying daily availability of residential crisis, group home and treatment services across West Virginia for adults with mental health and/or substance abuse issues. There are currently 76 licensed service agencies that provide regular updates about bed vacancies, with additional detail about accepted ages, gender, and type of behavioral health challenge. The website also provides important news about new facilities or expansions in services as they are made available.

The website is intended to be a source of information for those seeking available resources throughout West Virginia. Contact with providers directly will be required in order to access services.

If you are searching for information regarding child/adolescent bed capacity, DHHR's Bureau for Children and Families hosts a site providing such information. The website address is http://www.wvdhhr.org/wvcpn/.

To access the WV Adult Behavioral Health Placement Network, which is a user profile, go to http://www.wvdhhr.org/wvabhpn/.

1. At the left top of the screen under Welcome Guest, click on **Register**.
2. Provide user name. You can create a unique user name.
3. Provide password. You can create a unique 4 to 12 characters password.
4. Confirm your password.
5. Provide your first name.
6. Provide your last name.
7. Provide your email address.
8. After you complete this process, you will receive a confirmation email.
9. Then, click on the word **Home**.
10. On the left of the screen, click on **Search Database.**
11. Input the criteria you are searching.
12. Click on **Find a Facility** and a list of facilities and their contact information that meet your search criteria will generate.

We hope this resource is helpful!

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